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## **CARTE DES TERRES FÉDÉRALES DU CANADA**

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### **RÉSUMÉ**

Cette carte murale qui mesure 104 x 130 cm est la première de ce genre au Canada. Elle représente l'ensemble des propriétés foncières fédérales administrées ou gérées par le gouvernement fédéral, ce dernier étant le plus grand propriétaire et administrateur foncier au pays. Beaucoup de ces propriétés, incluant les aéroports, ports, sites de télécommunication et de défense nationale, constituent des parcelles de terres stratégiques.

La carte est à une échelle de 1/5 000 000 avec des encarts à une échelle de 1/2 000 000 qui représentent les régions les plus densément habitées.

Les résumés analytiques et les textes d'accompagnement concernent tous les bien-fonds quelle que soient leur taille. Voici quelques unes des grandes catégories d'utilisation foncière mentionnées: terres territoriales non aliénées, réserves indiennes, recherche, développement, militaire, agricole, conservation, héritage, transport, communication et autres terres fédérales. D'autres sous catégories ont été également identifiées.

Le texte d'accompagnement donne un bref historique des terres de la Couronne au Canada ainsi qu'un aperçu général des responsabilités en matière d'aménagement foncier dévolues aux diverses organismes et ministères fédéraux. Des diagrammes illustrent également la répartition de l'inventaire des terres fédérales.

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